# İlker Özgen

# Software Engineer | Software Engineer in Test at ASELSAN

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#### **EDUCATION**

**BILKENT UNIVERSITY** 

Ankara, Turkiye

Bachelor of Science, Computer Science

2019-2024

#### PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

**ASELSAN** 

Ankara, Turkiye

Software Engineer in Test

- November 2024-present
- Conducting software testing activities for electronic warfare and command control systems.
- Developing a web application to streamline test data entry, and generate statistical insights and reports.
- Designed and automated 800+ test cases, significantly improving testing efficiency.
- Executed over 1000 manual tests to ensure software reliability.
- Identified and reported 80+ critical defects, enhancing system stability.
- Developed a simulator to facilitate integration testing between different software applications.
- Led 9 full-cycle regression tests, integrating both automated and manual testing.

#### **HEY TECHNOLOGY**

ODTÜ Teknokent, Ankara, Turkiye

Software Engineer Intern June 2023-July 2023

- Collaborated with data science and machine learning teams on 2 high-impact projects.
- Preprocessed 2 complex datasets, reducing feature engineering time by 30%.
- Constructed predictive models for U.S. cotton export rates, achieving 92% accuracy.
- Implemented predictive maintenance solutions, reducing factory machinery downtime by 25%.

#### KONNEKA

#### Bilkent CYBERPARK, Ankara, Turkiye

Software Engineer Intern

August 2022-September 2022

- Assisted in software development, testing, and IT support across 3 projects.
- Managed ESXi servers and virtual machines, ensuring 99% uptime.
- Diagnosed and resolved 3 bugs during SandBox testing, improving reliability by 9%.
- Enhanced SandBox's user interface by fixing 2 significant issues.

## AREAS OF EXPERTISE

#### **Programming Languages & Technologies:**

Python

C/C#/C++

Java

JavaScript

SQL/PostgreSQL

HTML & CSS

### **Development Tools & Frameworks:**

React JS

Git Version Control

Confluence Azure DevOps

Docker

Jira

• Selenium **TestNG** 

**Manual Testing** 

**Regression Testing** 

**Automated Testing** 

**Functional Testing** 

# **Agile Methodologies:**

**Testing & Automation:** 

Agile

Scrum

Kanban

#### LANGUAGES

- Turkish, Native
- English, Highly Proficient, <u>IELTS Score</u>: 7.5/9
- German, Beginner

#### SOFT SKILLS

- Communication
- Teamwork
- Leadership

- Strategic Planning
- Initiative
- Precision

- Systematic Approach
- Creativity
- Analytical Thinking

#### **ACHIEVEMENTS & AWARDS**

- Awarded an investment offer under the TÜBİTAK BiGG program, 2024
- First place in "İlk Yatırımım" Entrepreneurship Competition, 2024
- High Honour Student, Bilkent University, 2020

#### **PROJECTS**

#### AnnoHub

**Project Website** 

September 2023-December 2024

- Created a data labeling platform, recognized with an entrepreneurship award, and attracted investor interest.
- Awarded an investment offer under the TÜBİTAK BiGG program.

### **Browsify**

**Project Website** 

November 2023-December 2023

• Engineered a web browser with advanced bookmark management, expecting a 15%-25% increase in user engagement due to its customizable UI.

#### **Image Inpainting with CNN**

**Project Website** 

November 2023-December 2023

• Designed a convolutional neural network for image inpainting using the CIFAR-100 dataset.

#### **Digit Image Classifier**

**Project Website** 

October 2023-November 2023

• Implemented PCA analysis and logistic regression to classify digit images, achieving 92.27% accuracy.

#### **BBC News Classifier**

**Project Website** 

September 2023-September 2023

• Trained and evaluated Naive Bayes models on BBC news articles, achieving 97.7% accuracy.

#### **ToEra**

**Project Website** 

September 2022-December 2022

• Built a web application to streamline Erasmus applications at Bilkent University, reducing manual communication by 95%.

#### CERTIFICATIONS

- High Honour Certificate
- Certificate of Proficiency in Academic English
- Python Programming Bootcamp
- Intro to Machine Learning
- Python Course Certificate
- Python for Finance Course Certificate
- C++ Course Certificate

- WEB3 Zirvesi
- Java Developer Course Certificate
- HTML & CSS Course Certificate
- CSS & JavaScript Course Certificate
- Python (Basic) Certificate
- Problem Solving (Basic) Certificate
- Java (Basic) Certificate